

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Dennis M. Charles, Treasurer
Indiana Democratic Congressional
Victory Committee
One N Capitol Avenue, Suite 200
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Identification Number:

C00108613

Reference:

October Quarterly Report (7/1/00-9/30/00)

Dear Mr. Charles:

On January 23, 2001, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your February 7, 2001, response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-You have indicated in your response that the \$18,411.95 transferred from the State Party Democratic Victory Fund was itemized on Schedule A, supporting Line 11(b); however, this transfer does not appear to have been itemized on this Schedule in your original report. Please provide clarifying information regarding this transfer. Furthermore, please note that transfers from other party committees should be itemized on Schedule A, supporting Line 12.

The coordinated expenditure schedule (Schedule F) should disclose the following information: identification of the authorizing committee, the payer's name and address, the purpose of the expenditure as well as identification of the candidate supported, the date and the amount of the payment and the aggregate general election expenditure total for each candidate supported. Please amend Schedule F by providing the identification of the authorizing committee and the aggregate general election expenditure total for each candidate supported. 2 U.S.C. §441a(d)

Please be advised that computer produced formats may <u>only</u> be used upon prior approval of the Commission. You should submit a separate sample format with a cover letter requesting approval. Until your format has been approved, FEC forms must be used. 11 CFR \$104.2(d) If the software your committee is using to produce Schedules of the FEC FORM 3x does not allow you to electronically file your report, you may want to call the vendor who produced your software to inquire about the availability of a software upgrade that includes electronic filing.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by March 7, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Thomas Maxwell on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

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